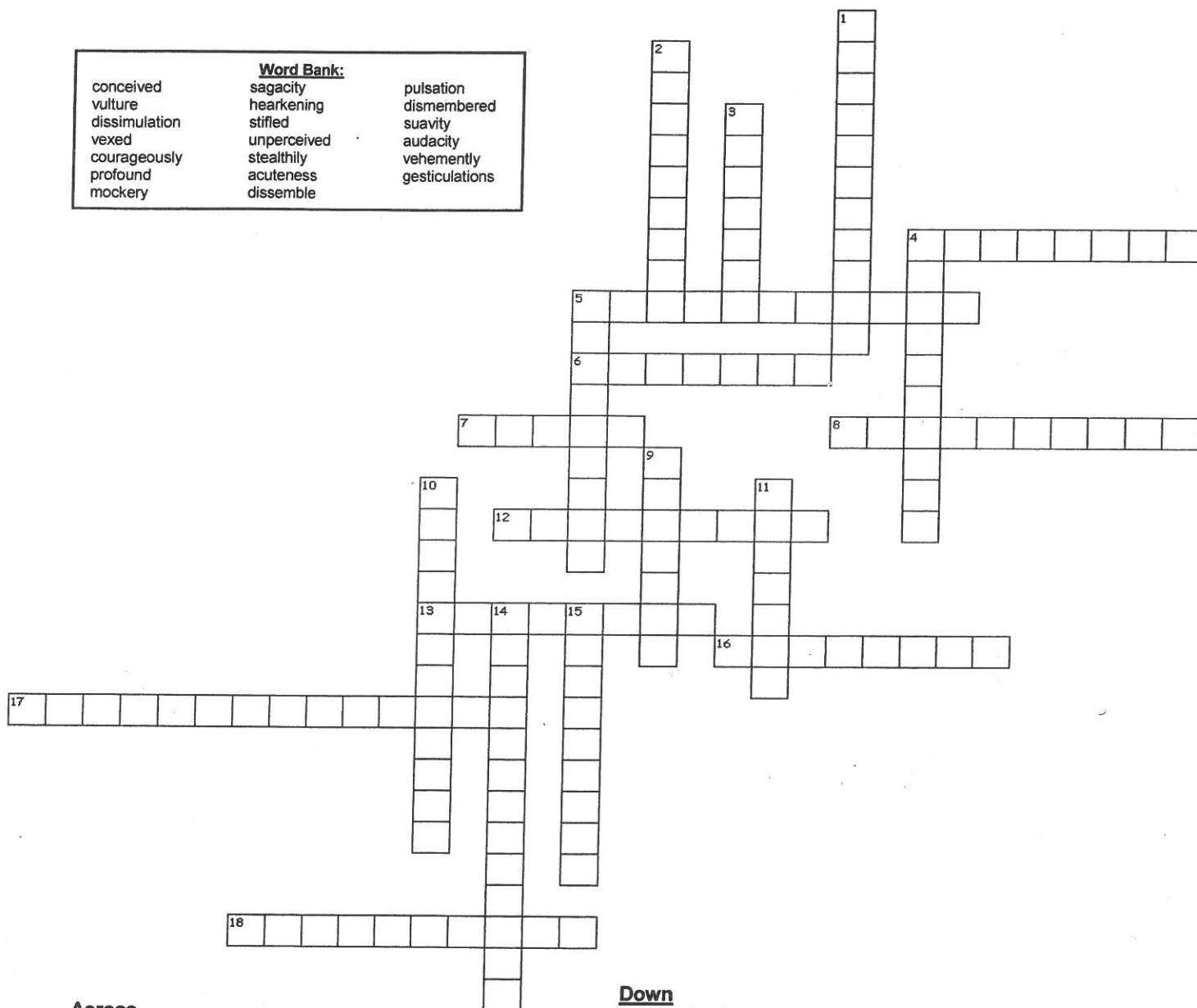


Book Club!
Edgar Allan Poe
"The Tell-Tale Heart"
Grades: 6-8

Activity #1 cont.: Vocabulary Cross Word Puzzle

Word Bank:		
conceived	sagacity	pulsation
vulture	hearkening	dismembered
dissimulation	stifled	suavity
vexed	unperceived	audacity
courageously	stealthily	vehemently
profound	acuteness	gesticulations
mockery	dissemble	



Across

4. acuteness of mental discernment; wisdom
5. to cut, tear, or pull off the limbs of; to divide into pieces
6. to suppress, curb, or withhold; muffled
7. irritated; annoyed
8. strongly emotional; intense or passionate
12. a beat or throb, as of the pulse
13. boldness or daring
16. having deep insight or understanding
17. a deliberate, vigorous motion or gesture with one's hands
18. to listen attentively; give heed

Down

1. perceived or commented on; not seen
2. sharp or penetrating in intellect, insight, or perception
3. a person or thing that preys, esp. greedily or unscrupulously
4. acting with quiet, caution, and secrecy intended to avoid notice
5. to give a false or misleading appearance to; conceal the truth
9. smoothly agreeable and courteous; sophistication
10. possessing or characterized by courage; brave
11. ridicule, contempt, or derision; subject of laughter
14. to hide under a false appearance; feigning; hypocrisy
15. to form an idea; think